Bangs Disease Is Dairy Threat

Virginia's thriving dairy industry is in danger of a serious setback unless dairy farmers can conquer Brucellosis, commonly known as Bang's disease.

R. G. Connelly, dairy husbandman at V. P. I., says that Bang's disease has become too firmly entrenched in the state's dairy business.

Only a little more than 79,000 cattle in 6,170 herds were tested during the first seven months of the year. Of that number, 2.7 per cent were positive reactors. During that time only 63.3 per cent of the reactors were slaughtered.

Add to that the fact that the number of accredited, Brucellosis-free herds, and accredited counties in Virginia are not appreciably increasing.

What are the consequences?

Connelly points out that the loss of calves through abortions immediately throws the breeding and herd improvement program into a tailspin. No dairyman keeps infected cows very long without trouble from sterility and shy-breeding.

The disease slows down and eventually will stall milk production. Connelly figures that if the loss from Brucellosis in 1949 could have been eliminated, it would have increased the income from the infected herds by thousands of dollars.

Connelly says that by means of calf vaccination, now available without cost to Virginia farmers, and by using intelligently the "test and slaughter" plan, the disease can be controlled.

See your county agent about the details of the plans now in use to eliminate Brucellosis.

SHEEPMEN ARE ADVISED TO TREAT FLOCKS WITH PHENOTHIAZINE

It's almost time to treat Virginia's sheep for nodular worm infestations.

George Litton, associate animal husbandman at V. P. I., reminds breeders that all sheep should have a dose of phenothiazine this month. He advises treating ewes at least 30 days before they lamb.

Litton's other tips for sheepmen include the reminder that green pasture will cut half the cost of feeding in the winter. One acre of good pasture will be enough to take care of five ewes and her lambs. One of his formulas for profitable flocks is "be sure the sale of fleece will pay the winter feed bill—then the lambs are so much profit." Without winter pasture, it will be hard to follow the formula, he says.

Legion ends conference at Roanoke.

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Gladstone

Gladstone, Nov. 4.- Carlton Walker, of Richmond is visiting his mother, Mrs. W. J. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kearns, of Appomattox visited here with Mrs. R. M. Wallace Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Banton visited in Appomattox this week.

The Rev. J. P. Leitner, of Vera, visited here Wednesday.

Section of Road To Be Closed

After November 5, a section of Route 40 at Blackstone will be closed to traffic whenever artillery practice is in progress at the Camp Pickett military reservation, the State Highway Department has announced.

The section to be blocked off is an eight mile stretch where Route 40 passes through the northern end of the reservation just east of Blackstone. Firing practice will be between the hours of 7:00 A. M. and 4:30 P. M., Monday through Friday of each week.

Highway officials said the route will not be closed at all times during these hours, but only when firing is going on at the reservation. The road block will continue as needed for military defense purposes.

A detour over secondary roads between Route 40 and U. S. 460 at both the east and west limits of the reservation will be marked, with guards from the post directing traffic whenever the road section is closed.

Colonel Leslie E. Babcock had advised the State Highway Department that his command will assume responsibility for insuring adequate blocking of traffic and would, insofar as possible, publish the definite closing periods in advance.

LOUDOUN 4-H-ER'S EXHIBIT AT EASTERN STOCK SHOW

Nine Loudoun County 4-H-er's will exhibit baby beeves at the Eastern National Fat Stock Show at Timonium, Md., November 11-16, D. E. Brower, 4-H Club livestock specialist at V. P. I. announces.

The show is 1950's last such event.

The club members are Edgar Tillett, Jack Arnold, Owen and Bill Thomas, Tommy Fleming, David Marshall, Shirley Myers, Ann and Sam Legard. The Legards also will exhibit market lambs.

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Local Happenings

Mrs. C. A. Hancock and son, of Huntington, W. Va. spent last week of Mrs. Lillie

Cordia Lyvson, a student University of Virginia, was the week-end.

are glad to hear that H. who has been a patient Memorial Hospital, Lynchseveral months, returned home yesterday afternoon. is greatly improved.

Anita Smith is spending this Lynchburg with her daughG. D. Ferguson.

Miss Mary Yancey Spencer celebrated her 4th birthday Tuesday.

Mrs. C. W. Potts, of Culpeper, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lottie Bledsoe.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Evans spent Sunday in Madison Heights with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Almond.

Mrs. Meredith Evans and two children, of Lynchburg visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cralle, this week.

Mrs. J. R. Lawson and Mrs. Calvin Robinson entertained the Tuesday bridge club this week in the home of Mrs. Lawson. Mrs. Elizabeth S. Bingham won top score and Mrs. B. G. Anderson received consolation prize.

Mrs. W. E. O'Connor, Mrs. E. W. Pitzer and Mrs. P. F. Epes, all of Roanoke and John Carroll Stanley, of Lynhaven were guests in the home of Mrs H. M. Burge during the week-end.

Charlie S. Martin went to Charlottesville yesterday, where he received medical treatment at the University Hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles F. James will return to their home here this week-end, after an extended stay at their country home in Ipes, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lloyd Hudson, Miss Barbara Ann Johnson, H. G. Johnson and Ed Cawthorne motored to North Carolina Sunday, and witnessed automobile races near Camp Butner.

Watkins Abbitt, Jr. is recovering at his home here from injuries as received from a fall Wednesday. He sustained a broken leg.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Thomas and children, of Newport News, will spend this week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Evans. Billy Evans, of Washington, spent the past week-end in this home.

We welcome the Rev. and Mrs. D. G. Trent to Appomattox. Mr. Trent, a retired Methodist minister, and Mrs. Trent have moved into their new home next to the Methodist parsonage. The Trents had a house warming Sunday when they had with them all of their children and grandchildren. Included were: Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Trent and L. A. Trent, Jr., of Lynchburg; Mrs. E. E Trent and son, David, of Charlottesville; Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge Marshall, of Buchanan; Mr. and Mrs. John Tabb and son, John, Jr., of Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Trent and daughter, Sandra, of Salem; Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Trent and daughter, Lina, of Appomattox.

Miss Katherine Burge will attend the Duke - Wake Forest football game in Durham, N. C. Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ford, Jr. and daughter, Donnis Gale, of Blacksburg will spend this week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mitchell.

Miss Marsha Dean Sours, of Lexington spent several days this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Stanley.

This is to remind all Eastern Star members that Sunday, November 12 is the day to go to Richmond to visit the O. E. S. Home. All members are asked to be there by 11:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Priddy and son, Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Wingfield and family, all of Richmond visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wingfield this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wingfield, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wingfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Harvey and daughter visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wingfield Saturday night.

Ernest Robertson, of Newport News visited his mother, Mrs. T. H. Robertson Sunday.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Monroe Garrette included Mrs. Ella H. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Moore and little Nancy, all of Ashland; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Scruggs, of near Pamplin; Mrs. Lyle Garrette, L. N. Garrette and Robert and Carsonette; Mr and Mrs. J. P. Mackenzie and Verlin Sue, and Mrs. T. H. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ferguson spent Monday in Lynchburg visiting Mrs. Ferguson's sisters, Mrs. Maggie Smith and Mrs. George L. Johnson, patients at the Lynchburg General Hospital. They are critically ill from injuries received in an automobile accident Sunday afternoon near Monroe, Va.

Miss Rosa Mae Wooldridge and Thomas Smith were at the football game in Charlottesville Saturday.

Mrs. Jerry A. Burke was hostess to the Thursday bridge club this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bush and son and Mrs. Harold Bendler and Miss Florence Caldwell, all of Norfolk, were guests last week-end of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Caldwell at East Ridge.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Childers Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Childers and children; Mrs. Louise Blanks and Thomas Childers, of Timberlake, and Miss Mildred Burgess, of Lynchburg. Also Mr. and Mrs. Ray Godsey and children, of Appomattox. The occasion was the birthdays of Mrs. Childers and her daughter, Mrs. Godsey.

Mrs. Joel Coleman is visiting Mrs. D. A. Conner.

Mrs. Alpha Hinnginbotham is visiting in Richmond for several days.

Mrs. W. P. Cook and Mrs. E. H. Hammersley, of Norfolk are guests this week at East Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Garrett and sons, Harold Bennett, Terry and LaVerne motored to Roanoke Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Witt and children and Richard McDearmon, of Richmond, spent last week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McDearmon.

Paul S. Childers, USNR, has been called to actice duty in the Navy. He is now at Norfolk awaiting assignment.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elliott and daughter, of Baltimore spent last week here with her mother, Mrs. Alpha Higginbotham.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Robinson, Mrs. G. L. Doss and Mrs. K. E. Coleman will spend Saturday in Charlottesville, where they will attend the University of Virginia and William and Mary football game. They will be joined there by Mr and Mrs. Edwin S. Barron, of Washington, D. C. The Barrons will return to Appomattox for the week-end.

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Church News

HELPING HANDS CLASS

The Helping Hands Class of the Presbyterian Church met at the home of the teacher, Mrs. Herman Schweitzer. Seven members and one visitor were present. They were Leo Godsey, Ann Evans, Mary Walker Evans, Ted Godsey, Mary Watt Stanley, the teacher, and Lewis McDearmon, Jr. The visitor was Kitty Lou O'Brien. We have planned to have our meeting on the first Wednesday of the month. We had an imaginary trip around the world, and had pictures showing it.

—Reporter, Lewis McDearmon, Jr.

To Speak At Memorial

Miss Nancy White, ministerial student at Ferrum Junior College, will be the guest speaker at the Memorial Methodist Church, Appomattox, Va., at 11 A. M., Sunday, November 12. Miss Faye Wood, a student at Ferrum, and other young persons of the local church, will participate in the worship service. At the present time four ladies are serving appointments in the Virginia Conference of the Methodist Church. They are: Miss Annie Agnes Smith at Wesley Memorial in Portsmouth; Miss Lillian Russell at Blandford Church in Petersburg; Miss Mildred Long at Piney Forest in Danville;and Miss Bernice Clarke, pastor of New Kent Charge in the Richmond District. Miss Nancy White has license to preach. A large congregation is expected to hear her in Appomattox Sunday morning, November 12.

Memorial Methodist Church

R. Carl Maxwell, Minister

9:45 A. M. Sunday School; Claude W. Smith, Superintendent.

11:00 A. M. Guest Speaker. Miss Nancy White, of Ferrum, Va. Youth Leaders and Choir. Topic: "No Fear in Love."

6:45 P. M. MYF and Boosters Choir.

7:30 P. M. Special Sermon to Children, Parents, and Teachers. Topic: "Helping Jesus."

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Worship, preaching by pastor, 11 A. M.

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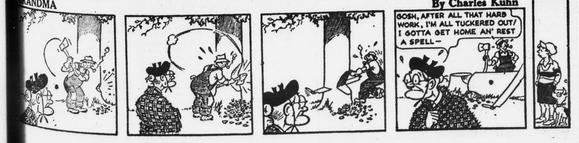

EDUCATION WEEK OBSERVED HERE

National Education Week was observed at the Appomattox High School Monday with an interesting and informative program. Students presented devotionals and several skits, and the P. T. A. had as guest speaker Dr. Abner Robertson, Executive director of the Virginia Co-operative Educational Association. He spoke of the importance of fathers taking an active part in the training and development of their children and in school groups such as the P.T. A.

After this part of the program, the parents visited their child's home room and registered for an attendance contest. As an incentive for fathers to attend, they were given two points for being present on this occasion. The program was well attended and delicious refreshments were served in the cafeteria to make the evening complete.

4-H Club Week

This week the emphasis is on youth as the largest rural youth organization in the world—the 4-H Clubs—observes National 4-H Club Achievement Week. Members number nearly two million. There are approximately 350 4-H Club members in Appomattox County.

For many years the 4-H Clubs have made their influence felt in education for farming, homemaking and rural community life. Their progress deserves the commendation of community, state and nation.

This is a time when all citizens of Appomattox County might well encourage the work of 4-H Clubs, examine the results which they have achieved, and tell others of the benefits to be derived from taking some part in the program.

Four-H Clubs constitute an outstanding body of boys and girls. They attain worthwhile goals in life and as a character-building influence, they are of uppermost importance.

As a climax to 4-H Achievement week, the eight clubs of Appomattox County will hold their annual Achievement Day Program Saturday afternoon, November 18, at 2:00 P. M. at Appomattox High School auditorium. All members and their parents are invited. Highlights of the program will be a movie, summary of 4-H work in Appomattox County and awards to outstanding club members.

MRS. ERNEST H. CARSON

A funeral service was held for Mrs. Ernest H. Carson at Prospect Methodist Church Thursday at 3:30 P. M. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Carson, who was 63, died at her home in Appomattox County on Tuesday, November 7. She was the wife of Ernest H. Carson.

The Rev. J. S. Burleigh, assisted by Dr. T. W. Williams and the Rev. J. H. Light, conducted the services.

Mrs. Carson was active in social and church affairs in Appomattox for many years. She was a member of the Hixburg Presbyterian Church.

She is survived by 11 children, James A., of Appomattox; Crawford H., of Baltimore, Md.; Uriel, of Portsmouth; the Rev. Donald Carson, of Raleigh, N. C.; Woodrow E. and Charles B., of Prospect; Crete D., of Richmond; Elantha W., of Charlottesville; Mrs. Nelson W. Hix, of Prospect; Mrs. J. F. Alsop, of Corpus Christi, Texas; and Miss Jessie Carson, of Appomattox; and 12 grandchildren. She also leaves three sisters, Mrs. O. J. Leet, of Oak Hill, W. Va.; Mrs. O. L. Martin, of Concord, and Mrs. B. W. Caldwell, of Lynchburg, and one brother, Will Drinkard, of Concord.

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